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28. — *After Icebergs with a Painter: a Summer Voyage to Labrador and around Newfoundland.* By REV. LOUIS L. NOBLE, Author of the "Life of Cole," "Poems," etc. New York: Appleton & Co. 1861. 12mo. pp. 336.

MR. NOBLE has a painter's eye and a poet's soul. His voyage carried him among the grandest coast and water scenery of our Western world, and his descriptions reproduce what he saw with singular vividness. The volume is made still more attractive by engravings of a high order of excellence. No lover of the picturesque can afford the absence of this book from his table.

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29. — *Pampinea and other Poems.* By THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH. New York: Rudd and Carleton. 1861. 16mo. pp. 72.

WHEN Mr. Aldrich's first volume of poems appeared, we predicted for him a high and lasting reputation, if he would only give time enough to self-culture, and to the elaboration both of poetical thought and of rhythmical expression. We still say the same, and he is not too old to profit by our advice. We see in this volume precisely what we saw in the first, and no more, — the same traits of rare and beautiful promise, the same faults and defects. If he sends a poem to the press every week or two, he will always fill very acceptably a column in a magazine or a corner of a newspaper; if he will dam up his Helicon till it gathers speed and power, its richer, fuller flow will give him the fame which his ephemeral productions will only almost earn for him.

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30. — *A History of Georgia, from its first Discovery by Europeans to the Adoption of the present Constitution in MDCCXCVIII.* By REV. WILLIAM BACON STEVENS, M. D., Professor of Belles Lettres, History, etc., in the University of Georgia, Athens. In Two Volumes. Vol. I. New York: D. Appleton & Co. 1847. Vol. II. Philadelphia: E. H. Butler & Co. 1859. 8vo. pp. 503, 524.

THESE volumes have come into our hands only since our last issue. We have no time to speak of them now as they deserve; and, were it otherwise, we should prefer waiting for our special notice of the history of Georgia till she has wheeled back into the line of loyal States. Trusting that this condition will not long be wanting, we beg leave to say now, that for thoroughness of research, aptness of method, and adequacy of style, this work cannot but take rank by the side of our best